

# Bainbridge Navy Scores Easy 49-20 Victory

The Cloubusters, still one of the finest football elevens in the nation, ran into a powerful array of unbeaten gridiron stars from the Bainbridge Navy last week end and emerged loser by 49 to 20 count.

The visiting Commodores packed every weapon in football warfare and they used them with terrific effect in a wild second period that saw two Bainbridge teams roll for four touchdowns and the Cloubusters tally twice.

For 20 minutes of play it was a real ball game from the Cloubuster point of view. After the visitors had grabbed a 13 to 0 lead, the Pre-Flighters, with Otto Graham, J. T. Levay and Bill Wilson setting the pace, scored two quick touchdowns. Buell St. John's true toe contributed both extra points. That combination gave the locals a 14 to 13 lead that was short lived as the visitors accounted for 21 points in the next five minutes of play.

The first time Bainbridge snapped into their "T" formation it was clear to read that on the turf of Kenan Stadium was a football team that had polish, precision and power. They looked and played like one of the top teams that they are today.

The Commodores turned loose two sets of backs that were nothing short of spectacular as they clicked like national champions. Charlie Justice, the Asheville high school sensation; Don Durdan, the Oregon State back who led his mates to victory over Duke in the Rose Bowl contest played

at Durham in 1942; Harvey Johnson, the warhorse of William and Mary; Jim Gatewood, the Georgian; Dewey Proctor, the ex-Furman star; Jackie Fields, ex-Texas All-American; Joe Michaels, from Pennsylvania; Harry Hopp, the driving fullback from Nebraska, and Hilliard Cheatham, the old Auburn star, showed just too much power for the fighting but outclassed Cloubusters.

Added to those backs was a towering, charging line that was superb, sparking such stars as Vandeweghe and Davis, ends; Gerber and Rymkus, the ex-Notre Dame giant tackles; Ramsey and Akin, and Sossoman, the South Carolina All-Southern, as starters, and Bernie Kuczynski, Mehelich, Petro, Tomasello, Les Gatewood, Garvin Mugg and a half-dozen other second-liners who were beautiful to watch once they went into action.

Bainbridge first scored midway the first period. Launching an attack from their own 39-yard line, the foursome of Hopp, Johnson, Durdan and Proctor marched straight down the field to the Pre-Flight 14. Johnson added a yard and then two pass plays failed. But on fourth down, Cheatham, taking the ball from center, stood straight up and looped a pass into Vandeweghe's arms on the goal line for the first score. Johnson place-kicked the extra point.

That was the beginning. Moments later a pass from Michaels to Mehelich over the goal climaxed a 79-yard drive and provided another Commodore touchdown.

The Cloubusters exploded right back, much to the satisfaction of the 15,000 fans on hand. Putting the ball in play on the 20-yard line after the kickoff,

# COMDR. GRAFF

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A 1919 graduate of the Naval Academy, Comdr. Graff came to Chapel Hill as Executive Officer in March, 1942, and became Commanding Officer on November 27, 1942.

Graham faded back, dropped a towering pass into Levay's arms on the Bainbridge 47. The little back scooted the rest of the way for an easy touchdown.

A moment later Michaels misfired on a lateral and Wilson scooped up the ball and ran 21 yards to score. Then Bainbridge went to work, scoring three touchdowns before the half ended.

The first score came when Johnson plowed over from the four yard line after the Commodores had started the drive deep in their own territory. Seconds later Johnson's 26 yard gallop placed the ball on the Cloubuster 25. On the next play Cheatham passed to Vandeweghe on the 10 and the latter carried over.

A fumble gave the Commodores the ball a minute later on the Pre-Flight 14. Again, after one pass play failed, Gheatham passed to Vandeweghe for the touchdown.

That the Commodores added a touchdown and safety in the third in the fourth was incidental. The game was won in the second quarter.

Coach Killinger substituted freely during the last half, taking no chances on his key men being hurt for the all-important game this Saturday at Athens with the Georgia Pre-Flight.

# FOOTBALL

(Continued from page one) minate the air, and the Cloubusters the ground. In Frank Stanczak, former Lafayette back the fans saw a very fine passer. On the other hand, Graham failed to connect through the air as Georgia linemen gave him little time to pass.

Probably starters for the Pre-Flighters will be Warren Anderson and Ed Hurson at the ends, George Lorentz and Dan Williams at the tackles, Dale Pulver and Kermit Atkinson at the guards, and Ralph Huneycutt at center. Otto Graham will return to quarterback, Bill Wilson and Stan Koslowski at the halves, and either G. V. Fellabaum or Charles Kalbacher at full.

# PERSONNEL

(Continued from page one) Nine enlisted men were transferred during the past week while eight reported for duty.

Transferred to Shoemaker Cal., were J. A. Barker, PhM3c, R. R. Curtis, PhM3c, Michael Dudik, PhM3c, E. C. Pranskaitis, PhM3c, R. F. Hoffman, HA2c, H. J. Klein, HA2c, H. G. Stonbraker, HA2c, J. G. Weidman, HA2c and G. A. Valley, HA1c.

The arrivals included R. W. Pelers, PhM2c, G. L. Rainier, Jr., PhM3c, R. W. James, Sk2c, R. C. Campbell, PhM3c, N. D. Edmiston, HA1c, G. A. Tegons, PhM3c, C. E. Snow, S2c. and D. H. Bauer, S1c.



WHILE BAINBRIDGE running and passing predominated throughout the afternoon, there were times when the Cloubuster offensive work got results. In the second quarter, Bob (Jitterbug) Kellogg, number 40, shown on the left above, is on his way to a 14-yard gain after catching a pass from Otto Graham. Dewey Proctor, number 56, and Gerrard Ramsey, number 20, were credited with the tackle. The center photo shows Alfred Vandeweghe going over for a touchdown after catching a 15-yard pass from Hilliard Cheatham, the former Auburn star. Vandeweghe, incidentally, caught three touchdown passes during the afternoon. Dan Weitekamp, number 23, is the Cloubuster with his back to play. On the right, Harry "Hippity" Hopp, number 37 and a former All-American at the University of Nebraska gets loose for 12 yards in the third period. Coleman, number 50, was about to make the tackle until Elwood Gerber, number 63, Bainbridge tackle, entered the play. Notice Gerber's hand.